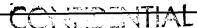
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	MEMORANDUM FOR:	Chief, Policy Branch, Policy & Plans Group
	VIA:	Associate Deputy Director of Security (TS)
25 X 1	FROM:	Information Security Group, OS
25 X 1	SUBJECT:	Review of the <u>Update</u> on Computer Security Legislation
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	erence to Section	ormation Security Group (ISG) has reviewed the gislation concerning computer security. In ref- n 5 of the bill, which describes the mandatory ments for Federal agencies, ISG agrees with
25 X 1	with the origina in the 19 Septem Agency must be a ing program in costringent than or	omments in paragraph 4 of his cover memo and 1 position taken by the Agency, which was stated ber 1985 letter to Congressman Brooks. The ble to continue its own strict mandatory trainomputer security, which is more rigorous and ther government agencies. As long as the bill standards only for training, it should not
25 X 1	2. In reference serious reservations for the Age	rence to Section 6 of the bill, ISG would have ions with providing copies of ADP security ency's unclassified systems to NBS and NSA for
25 X 1	The major unclass system residing procedures (i.e. call-back) for all system, there are throughout various tand-alone mode significant concert of these unclassing	of, with an approval/disapproval action by GSA. Sified system in the Agency is the IRM/VMII
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CONFIDENTIAL the best interest of the Agency to publish and disseminate the access and control procedures for these systems, particularly to uncontrolled environments within multiple agencies. 25X1 3. As a matter of interpretation, 25X1 that the Agency was exempt from Section 3 of the bill because indicated the Agency is exempt from the provisions of Section III of the Federal Property and Administration Act of 1949. This same Act is referenced in Section 6 of the bill. Is the Agency, therefore, exempt from Section 6? 25X1 4. If you have further questions, please call me on 25X1 25X1

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